

ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL _____

STATE BOARD MEETING DATE December 8, 2008

SUBJECT: NAEP 2007 National Indian Education Study Results (NAEP)

SUBMITTED BY: Carrie L. Giovannone, Arizona NAEP Coordinator

MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW: November 13, 2008

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The National Indian Education Study (NIES) is authorized by the 2004 Executive Order 13336. The study is sponsored by the Office of Indian Education and is conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics. A sample of American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) students across the nation from public, private, Department of Defense, and Bureau of Indian Education funded schools participated in the two part study.

Part I consisted of the 2007 NAEP Reading and Mathematics assessment administered to AI/AN students to measure academic performance. A survey, Part II, was given to the same students containing questions regarding their educational experiences and the integration of their language and culture in school. Arizona was among eleven states to receive state results. Arizona's NAEP Coordinator, Carrie Giovannone, will present the results from both the NAEP assessments and the survey.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: ☒ INFORMATION ☐ ACTION/DESCRIBED BELOW:

ATTACHMENTS: YES ☒ NO ☐